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September 30, 1998

Larry Allred Wembco 3996 West 1500 North Vernal, Utah 84078

Re:

<u>Deficient Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Activities, Wembco, D Trac Oil Sand Mine, S/047/068, Uintah County, Utah</u>

Dear Mr. Allred:

Thank you for your Notice of Intention, received by the Division September 21, 1998, concerning Wembco's proposed small mining program located in Sections 23 and 24, T4S, R20E, SLBM, Uintah County, Utah. The notice does not satisfy the requirements of Rule R647-3 of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975, Title 40-8, et seq., Utah Code Annotated.

The following information is still required:

- The name and address of the private (fee) mineral owner.
- The variance section of the form was left blank. The Division will assume that no variances are requested for this operation and, therefore, the operator will comply with <u>all</u> mining and reclamation practices as identified on pages 3 & 4 of the Notice.
- The application cannot be determined complete until the \$100.00 permit application fee is received by the Division.

The small mine notice lists the operator as Wembco with an address in Pasadena California. Please provide the name, address and phone number for the person who is to be the local contact in Utah for the Division.

The Division will suspend review of your notice and await your response to these information deficiencies and payment of the application fee. In reply, please refer to S/047/068. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Anthony A. Gallegos

Senior Reclamation Specialist

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